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Keep it out.

When they quarrel in the church,
Keep it out.
When a teacher wields the birch,
Keep it out.
When nine women fair to see
Whisper something over tea—
Print? Goodness gracious me!
Keep it out.

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Keep it out.
When another tries to steal,
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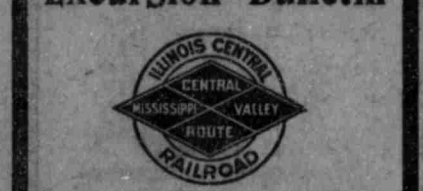
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(Continued from Yesterday.)

CHAPTER XIII.
YOU have heard now," Duncombe said finally, "the whole history of my wanderings. I feel like a man who has been beating the air, who has been at war with unseen and irresistible forces. I never seemed to have a chance. In plain words, I have failed utterly!"
The two men were sitting in a room impossible of classification. It might have been a study, smoking room or gun room. The walls were adorned with stags' heads and various trophies of the chase. There were guns and rifles in plenty in a rack by the chimney-piece, a row of bookcases along the north wall, golf clubs, cricket bats and foils everywhere. A pile of logs ready for burning stood in the open grate, and magnificent rugs were spread about the floor. Nowhere was there the slightest trace of a woman's presence, for Duncombe had no sisters, and he was entirely a bachelor household.

Duncombe himself and Andrew Pelham were seated in great easy chairs in front of the open window. It was his first fine evening at home, and he was drinking in great drafts of the fresh, pure air, fragrant with the perfume of roses and great clusters of wallflowers. Paris had seemed to him like a great oven. All the time he had been half stifled, and yet he knew very well that at a word from Spencer he would have returned there at an hour's notice. He knew, too, that the home which he had loved all his days could never be quite the same place to him again.

Andrew roused himself from rather a prolonged silence.
"You were a brick to go, George," he said. "It is more than any one else in the world would have done for me." Duncombe laughed a little uneasily. He knocked the ashes from his pipe and refilled it slowly.

"Andrew," he said, "I don't want to seem a fraud. I daresay that I might have gone for you alone, but I didn't." His friend smiled faintly.

"Ah," he remarked, "I had forgotten your little infatuation. It hasn't worn off yet, then?"
"No, nor any signs of it," Duncombe answered bluntly. "It's an odd position for a matter of fact person like myself, isn't it? I tell you, Andrew, I've really tried to care for some of the girls about here. The place wants a mistress, and I'm the tenth baronet in the direct line. One's got to think about these things, you know. I've tried hard, and I've never even come near it."

"It will wear off," Andrew said. "It is a very charming little fancy, a most delightful bit of sentiment, George, but with nothing behind it it can't last."

"Perhaps not," Duncombe answered quietly. "All that I know is that it has shown no signs of wearing off up to now. It was in Paris exactly as it is here. And I know very well that if I thought it would do her the least bit of good I would start back to Paris or to the end of the world tonight."

"I must adjust my views of you, George," his friend said, with mild satire. "I always looked upon you as fair game for the Norfolk dogwags with their broods of daughters, but I never contemplated your fixing your affections upon a little piece of paste-board."

"Rot! It is the girl herself," Duncombe declared.

"But you have never seen her?" Duncombe shrugged his shoulders. He said nothing. What was the use? Never seen her! Had she not found her way into every beautiful place his life had knowledge of?

"If you had," Andrew murmured. "Ah, well, the picture is like her! I remember when she was a child. She was always fascinating, always delightful to watch."

Duncombe looked out upon the gardens which he loved and sighed. "If only Spencer would send for me to go back to Paris," he said, with a sigh.

Andrew turned his head.
"You can imagine now," he said, "what I have been suffering. The desire for action sometimes is almost maddening. I think that the man who sits and waits has the hardest task."

They were silent for some time, smoking steadily. Then Duncombe reverted once more to his wanderings.

"You remember the story they told me at the cafe, Andrew," he said. "It was a lie, of course, but was Miss Poynton anything of an artist?"

"To the best of my belief," Andrew answered, "she has never touched a brush or pencil since she left school."

Duncombe looked out into the gathering twilight.

"It is a devil's riddle, this!" he said slowly. "Why did she go to that place at all?"

"God only knows!" Andrew murmured.

Duncombe's teeth were hard set. A paper knife which he had caught up from the table snapped in his fingers. There was something in his throat which nearly choked him.

"Phyllis Poynton," Andrew continued, "was as sweet and pure a woman as ever breathed. She must have loathed that place. She could only have gone there to seek for her brother or—"

"Or for whom?"
"For those who knew where he was," Duncombe turned his head.

"Andrew?"

"Yes, old chap!"

"Let me look at her photograph again."

Andrew drew it from his pocket and passed it over. Duncombe studied it for several moments under the lamp-light.

"You are right, Andrew," he said slowly. "For her the other things would not be possible. I wonder—"

His finger, clinging to the photograph. He looked across at his friend. There was a slight blush in his face. He spoke nervously.

"Andrew," he said, "I'm afraid it sounds a bit brutal, but—this photograph is no use to you just now, is it, until your eyes get better. Will you lend it to me?"

"I couldn't," Andrew answered quietly. "I can't see it now, of course, but I like to feel it in my pocket, and it will be the first thing I shall look at when the doctor lets me take off these beastly glasses—if ever he does. Until then—well, I like to feel I've got it. That's all!"

They both smoked furiously for several moments without looking at one another. Duncombe spoke first.

"Andrew?"

"Well."

"If she comes back, shall you ever ask her to marry you?"

"I don't know, George. I'm poor, and I'm twelve years older than she is. I don't know."

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With its snowing.
Getting time to make its bow
And be going.
Mists are rising o'er the land,
Sort of hazy.
Nature's kind o' sluggish, and
I am lazy.
Languid breezes idly loaf
—Heather
—oaf
This spring weather
—mossy shelf
—mazy.
Fill this out to suit yourself
I'm too lazy!
—Courier-Journal.

Laughed at Death.

Goliad, Tex., April 18.—The execution of Norberto Salanta, alias Albert Rocho, took place here this afternoon. He walked steadily to the scaffold, unassisted. On the trap he jumped around, laughed and talked to his friends. Between 2,000 and 2,500 people witnessed the execution. The man's head was almost severed from his body.

Rifle Shooting in Colleges.

New York, April 18.—The plan providing for introduction of rifle shooting in universities, colleges, academies and schools of the United States was adopted today by the executive committee of the National Rifle association of America.

Defends Women's Clubs.

Salt Lake City, Utah, April 18.—Governor Cutler, delivered an address of welcome at the triennial convention of the Ladies of Maccabees today warmly defended women's clubs and societies as being great promoters of social and intellectual development.

The heavenly mind is not the one that is in a hurry to get into heaven, but the one that labors to bring heaven to earth. —Chicago Tribune.

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GOOCH FOR SPEAKER.

Governor Again Manifests His Control of Situation.

Frankfort, Ky., April 18.—The next speaker of the Kentucky house of representatives has been selected, although the election for members of the legislature will not take place for seven months, and not more than one-fifth of the Democratic nominees have been named. Mr. W. J. Gooch, of Simpson county, will be the next speaker always provided the Democrats carry the house. Mr. Gooch is one of the chief lieutenants of Governor Beckham, and although the latter goes out of office on December 1 next he will name, in fact, has named the speaker of the next house provided the house is Democratic, and despite the fact that another man will be governor in case of a Democratic victory. The selection of Gooch was only announced today by the party leaders, and comes as the result of some active politics. The Hager and Hines men said they wanted the speaker, because if Hager is elected governor he ought to have a speaker of his own choosing.

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ANDY GETS CROSS.

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New York, April 18.—The first convention of the National Arbitration and Peace Congress closed today with two large banquets, one at the Hotel Astor and the other at the Waldorf-Astoria. The event of greatest interest was the decoration of Andrew Carnegie with the cross of legion of honor by the French government, represented by Baron d'Es-tournelles de Constant in appreciation of his work for peace, and his gift of the palace at The Hague.

Preparing for Temptation.

According to the Dundee Advertiser, little Tommy had been forbidden to swim in the river, owing to the danger. One day he came home with unmistakable signs of having been in the water. His mother scolded him severely. "But I was tempted so badly, mother," said Tommy. "That's all very well, but how'd you come to have your bathing suit with you?" Tommy paused and then said: "Well, mother, I took my bathing suit along thinking I might be tempted."

A man will forgive you for everything except sitting down and laughing at him.

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Simon Lake Will Run His Submarine Boat Against the Holland Craft for Contract.

New York, April 18.—A race under water for a prize of \$4,000,000. That's the unique contest scheduled to be held underneath the surface of Narragansett Bay next week. The race is to be between two submarine boats, and on the result depends the decision of the United States government as to which type shall be adopted in the construction of the proposed new submarine war ships. The Octopus, of the John P. Holland type, and the Lake, designed by Simon Lake, are the contestants. In addition to the two chief performers, the first submarine flotilla, in command of Lieutenant Charles P. Nelson, consisting of the Porpoise, the Shark, Lieutenant Lloyd S. Shapley, and the Plunger, Lieutenant Guy W. Castle, will be on hand to "police the course."

Wants to Beat Holland.

It has been the ambition of Simon Lake for years to beat Holland, and now that he is given a chance under the most favorable auspices the Lake is being groomed with the utmost care. In a preliminary canter on the surface the other day the Lake made eight and one-half miles an hour against a strong head wind. The admirers of the Lake think that this is good enough jockeying to win the decision of the naval referees and judges.

This is the personnel of the board which has been appointed to make the decision: Captain Adolph Marx, P. S.; Naval Constructor D. W. Taylor, Commander Burns T. Walling, Lieutenant Commander William B. Smith, Lieutenant John W. Timmons and Ensign F. A. Sadler.

The Holland contingent do not hesitate to predict that the Octopus ought to defeat the Lake. The Octopus is the biggest submarine ever turned out in this country. She was built under the direction of the navy from the Holland company's designs, is over 100 feet long and is able to fire four torpedoes simultaneously.

Lake Fears Maxim's Fate.

Inventor Lake has been in legal and other controversy with the Holland company for some years, and on one occasion when he thought that favoritism was being shown he said that, like Maxim and Hotchkiss, he might be driven out of the country and be obliged to sell his invention to Japan or some other sea power.

The Lake which he is to pit against the Octopus, is famous for her ability to travel long distances either below or above water. Last June she arrived here from Norfolk, making the trip of 325 miles unaccompanied, without mishap and with her engines stopped only once, on which occasion her crew brought her to top of the water to watch some whales that were frisking near at hand.

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